

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A spoke is adapted for use in a bicycle wheel that includes a wheel rim and a wheel hub, and includes a spoke body having a pair of coupling end portions that are opposite to each other in a longitudinal direction and that are adapted for connection to the wheel rim and the wheel hub, respectively. At least one of the coupling end portions is tubular. The spoke body further has an intermediate spoke segment that extends in the longitudinal direction and that has opposite ends connected integrally and respectively to the coupling end portions.